

Washington State Emergency Management Division

Basic Public Information Officer (G290)

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Redmond, Washington

TARGET AUDIENCE

Public Information Officers in
Emergency Management and
related fields of Law
Enforcement, Fire, EMS,
Public Works, Public Health,
Emergency Management

Access the EMD Training Application at
<http://emd.wa.gov/3-pet/ent/trng-app.doc>

This course is part of the Advanced Professional Series. (More info at <http://www.training.fema.gov/emiweb/APS>)

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Develop and/or enhance basic skills in writing, public speaking, working with the media, and handling interviews, inquiries, and news conferences
- Clearly communicating life safety information to the public
- Getting more comfortable with the media
- Develop working relationships with the media, co-workers, and superiors concerning public information activities
- Develop and conduct awareness campaigns

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